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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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| METHOD OF PAYMENT  | FEE CALCULATION (continued) |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| 1.   The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated   | 3. ADDITIONAL FEES          |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| fees and credit any overpayments to:                             |                             | ge Entity   |             |              | у  |           |  |  |  |
| Deposit<br>Account 19-2380                                       | Fee                         | Fee<br>e (S)  | Fee<br>Code | Fee<br>(\$)  | Fee Description Fee Paid   |           |  |  |  |
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| Deposit  | 105                         | 130   | 205         | 65           | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |           |  |  |  |
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| ★ Charge Any Additional Fee Required                             | 139<br>147                  | 130<br>2,520  |             | 130<br>2.520 | Non-English transaction<br>For filing a request for ex parts reexamination |           |  |  |  |
| Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17                                       | 1                           |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| Applicant chims applicants status                                | 112                         | 920*  | 112         | 920*         | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |           |  |  |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status See 37 CFR 1.27             | 113                         | 1,840*  | 1131        | ,840*        | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner                               |           |  |  |  |
|  | 115                         | 110   | 215         | 55           | action<br>Extension for reply within first month                           | $\square$ |  |  |  |
| 2. ☑ Payment Enclosed: ☑ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money ☐ Other     | 116                         | 390   | 216         | 195          | * *  |           |  |  |  |
| Order  | 117                         | 390<br>890  |             |              | Extension for reply within second month                                    |           |  |  |  |
| PER CIT CIT INVOV  | 1                           |   | 217         | 445          | Extension for reply within third month                                     |           |  |  |  |
| FEE CALCULATION  1. BASIC FILING FEE                             | 118                         | 1,390   | 218         | 695<br>945   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |           |  |  |  |
| Large Entity Small Entity  | 119                         | 310   | 219         | 155          | Extension for reply within fifth month<br>Notice of Appeal                 |           |  |  |  |
| Fee Fee Fee Fee Description                                      | 120                         | 310   | 220         | 155          |  |           |  |  |  |
| Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid                                     |                             |   |             |              | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |           |  |  |  |
| 101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee \$710                         | 121                         | 270   | 221         | 135          | Request for oral hearing   |           |  |  |  |
| 106 320 206 160 Design filing fee                                | 138                         | 1,510   | 138         |              | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |           |  |  |  |
| 107 490 207 245 Plant filing fee                                 | 140                         | 110   | 240         | 55           | Petition to revive – unavoidable   |           |  |  |  |
| 108 710 208 355 Reissue filing fee                               | 141                         | 1,240   | 241         | 620          | Petition to revive - unintentional   |           |  |  |  |
| 114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee                            | 142                         | 1,240   | 242         | 620          | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |           |  |  |  |
|  | 143<br>144                  | 440   | 243         | 220          | Design issue fee   |           |  |  |  |
| SUBTOTAL (1) \$710.00  | 144                         | 600   | 244         | 300          | Plant issue fee  | 1         |  |  |  |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES  | 122                         | 130   | 122         | 130          | Petitions to the Commissioner  |           |  |  |  |
| Fee from Extra Claims below Fee Paid                             | 123                         | 50  | 123         | 50           | Petitions related to provisional applications                              |           |  |  |  |
| Total Claims 18 -20** = 0 X \$18 =                               | 126                         | 240   | 126         | 240          | Submission of information Disclosure Strat                                 |           |  |  |  |
| Independent 4 -3**- 1 X \$80 = \$80.00                           | 581                         | 40  | 581         | 40           | Recording each patent assignment per property                              |           |  |  |  |
| Claims   | 361                         | 40  | 361         | 40           | (times number of properties)   | \$40.00   |  |  |  |
| Multiple Dependent \$270 =                                       | 146                         | 710   | 246         | 355          | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR<br>§ 1.129(a))           |           |  |  |  |
| Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description        | 149                         | 710   | 249         | 355          | For each additional invention to be examined (37                           |           |  |  |  |
| Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (S) Code (S)                | 179                         | 710   | 249         | 355          | CFR § 1.29(b)) Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                     |           |  |  |  |
| **   | 169                         | 900   | 169         | 900          | Request for expedited examination of a design                              |           |  |  |  |
| 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20                              | 105                         | 300   | 109         | 300          | application  | - 1       |  |  |  |
| 102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3                  | Other                       | fee (spec   | ify)        |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| 104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid            | İ                           |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| 109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims over                 | * Rec                       | luced by I  | Basic F     | ling Fe      | ee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) \$40.00   |           |  |  |  |
| original patent  |                             |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| 110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and               |                             |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| over original patent   |                             |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
| SUBTOTAL (2)   |                             |   |             |              |  |           |  |  |  |
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